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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PATENT APPLICATION

Applicant : Yoshinori Fujiwara  
Application No. : 10/759,388 Conf. No. : 7144  
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For : SELECTABLE MEMORY WORD LINE  
DEACTIVATION  
Art Unit : 2827  
Examiner : Michael T. Tran

New York, New York 10020  
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Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) FOR EXTENSION  
OF TIME AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)  
For Extension of Time

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of the shortened statutory period set for reply to the Office Action dated March 23, 2005, to make the date for reply September 23, 2005. The Director is hereby authorized to charge \$1,020.00, in payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), and to charge any additional fee that may be due or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 (Order No. 002322-0043). A Form PTO/SB/17 Fee Transmittal is enclosed herewith for that purpose.

Reply to Office Action

In reply to the Office Action dated March 23, 2005, applicant hereby amends the above-identified patent application as follows:

AMENDMENTS OF THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing beginning on page 3 of this Reply.

REMARKS begin on page 10 of this Reply.